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The section entitled "Cross-Reference to Related Application" in the specification is not correct. Please delete the text of this section, namely, lines 6-9 on page 1, and insert in its place the following:

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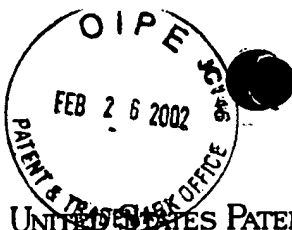
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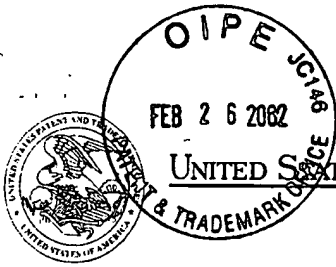
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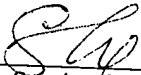
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